



Plan-O-Gram California Department of Aging *April 2006*

Hello, Everyone!

There is an important change to the Area Plan Update. Please see the Area Plan Update News section for further information.
Happy Spring!

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Monthly Articles and Websites

The Administration on Aging, United We Ride, and the Department of Health and Human Services have developed the “Executive Summary, Seniors Benefit from Transportation Coordination Partnerships-A Toolbox, Promising Practices From the Aging Network” which provides information about how 14 U.S. communities improved the coordination of their transportation services. This report is available at www.aoa.gov/prof/transportation/transportation.asp. Go to Transportation Coordination Toolbox and click Executive Summary.

New to the CDA website is the Aging Services Data Report which “provides client services statistics and local assistance expenditure information for programs administered” by CDA. The report includes information about state and federally funded programs and also the Multipurpose Senior Services Program (MSSP) and the Adult Day Health Care (ADHC) program. You can access the program at www.aging.ca.gov, then click Statistics and Demographics.



Area Plan Update News

Appendix XI: Because there was a delay in providing the Area Plan Guidance for this year, Appendix XI will be **optional** for the 2006-07 Area Plan Update.

Appendix XI will be required for the 2007-2008 planning period, in addition to an area plan objective concerning preparedness.

If you have completed Appendix XI we strongly recommend that you include it in this year's Update. This will provide an opportunity for your disaster planning to be shared with other AAAs.

There will be an opportunity for input on the 2007-2008 Area Plan Guidance in the Fall, 2006. However, if you have suggestions now that you would like to provide the Area Plan Team, please email them to Kathleen at khendric@aging.ca.gov.



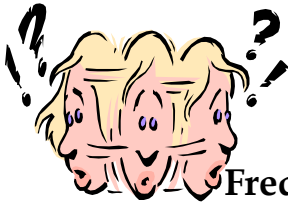
Aging Network Planning Academy

The date for next year's Academy seminar has not been decided. We will keep you informed about the progress of the development of next year's agenda for the seminar.



Due Dates

Area Plan Update: May 1, 2006



Frequently Asked Questions

1. Where can I find the Area Plan Guidance on the CDA website?

Answer: The Guidance is available on the CDA website under AAA Partners at <http://www.aging.ca.gov/>.

2. Does the CDA website contain links to the Older Americans Act, the California Code of Regulations, and the Code of Federal Regulations?

Answer: Yes, the link is <http://www.aging.ca.gov/html/regs/lawsandregs.html>
To print the full text of the Code of Federal Regulations Part 1321 follow these directions:

- Go to CDA's webpage www.aging.ca.gov
- Click Laws and Regulations
- Click on the GPO Webpage
- Type "45CFR1321"
- Print the next to the last item, #49, which is CFR Part 1321 Grants to State and Community Programs on Aging.

3. Where can I find the California Department of Aging State Plan?

Answer: The State Plan can be found on the CDA website under Featured Links on the right hand side of the screen (www.aging.ca.gov).



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